SPEAKS RIGHT UP.

President Fisk of Bimetallic League Talks.

Tells the Senate the Cause of Hard Times.

HE DEMANDS SILVER.

There Was No Necessity for Issuing Bonds He Says.

WASHINGTON'Aug. 17. - The necessity of immediate and thorough organization to push bimetallism to the front was discussed at a special conference of the American bimitallic league, which convened here yesterlay. Thirty or forty members of the lague from various states were present. General A. J. Warner, president of the league, acted as chairman, and among those present were Sanator Stewart of Nevada, Congressmen Pence and Bell of Colorado, Julge Shelton of Connecticut and C. S. Thompson of Colorado.

President A. C. Fish of the Pan-American Bimetallic League, on behalf of that org mination, has sent a notable statement to the special committee of the United States senate investigating the industrial depression and the remedy. He says:

One or two more panies will find five years.
this country in the coa ition of Rome R. W. Co went down. There was no n cessity for issuing a government bond and robbing of the people to the full extent of the issue.

repudiate or return to barbarism. age of silver and the remonetization of the paper issue. Inflation indeed, with 35 cent wheat, 5 cent cotton, 2 cent beef, 50 cents for a day's labor, our money will be "staple" when the American farmer, plagter and laborer are reduced to the condition of the seris of other countries under the financial dominion of Old England. It would seem that congress has al-

congress and a chief executive who will be their acryants—not their mas-ters. With that day will come real Benifield, injured on head; John J. presperity through the introduction Anderson, cut on the wrist; Perry into our statute, of justice to all classes which may be partially and nally and briefly summarized as follows:

The remonetization of silver to 15% to 1. All money lasnes by the government direct. All demonstrated money to be called in and full legal tender money issued in Heu thereof One money for the bondholder, creditor, debtor, office-holder, importer and banker. The establishing of postal savings banks.

The adoption of the initiative and the referentiam. That would prove fatal to that political evil—the looby. Bribery would be an unsafe investheld the decisive ballot.

The power to coin money and regulate the value thereof to be taken from congress by a constitutional amendment. History has demonstrated that it is unsafe to entrust a legislative body with the power to pauperize and ensiave the people. In like manner the power to In like manner the power to enact tariff legislation will be taken from congress, a cominfluences to draft internal revenue laws, which, when finally adopted (by the voice of the people) they cannot be modified, changed or repealed in a given period of time, an I then only by a direct vote of the people, thus allowing the business juterests of the country to adjust themselves to its provisions. This will prevent syndieates from combining to elect presidents of the United States and a congress with the understanding that certain tariff legislation will be enacted.

Continuing. Prosilent Fisk says: The Nicararuan canal will be constructed and paid for by government money, not bonds. The ports of Savannah, Charteston Pensacon, New Orleans and Galveston will supply the dogrway to the population of Asia, the West Indies, Venezuela, the Colombian states and Central Amer- gress by accimuation. ica with the products of our mines, farms and factories.

Subsidized railroads will be restored to the people. The stocking and bonding of railroads and other corporations for many times their value and realizing on the watered stock by false pretenses-then confiscating the jured. atoek by foreclosure; the stocking and bonding at fletition prices ad infinit-um will be prohibited by state.

A commission will be appointed by the general government to scale un ons met at Columbus and down the debts to correspond with an independent pointers party. the price of labor and the products of labor, as was done in Turkey a few years ago, where conditions similar to ours existed. There, under an equita- \$15,000. ble accounting, the debtors were mostly freed from debt by an edict of the porte. A fair accounting in this becareountry would result similarly. Exneutive sessions of the Un ted States senute would be abolished. A number of other radical measures are suggested. President Fisk says the views submitted express the sentiment of 165,000 members of the asso-

G. A. R. Encampment.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Aug. 17 .- Yesterday was the greatest of all days yet at Camp Reno. Hon. Dick Blue sation in Keokuk by eloping with a was the leading speaker of the day.

WAGES AT PULLMAN.

Employee Testify That They Have Been Gradually Cut to the Starvation Point. CHICAGO, Aug. 17. - Before the arbitration commission yesterlay, Chairman Heathcote of the Pullman strike committe showed a table of the Pullman company's wages and claimed that wages had been cut 60 per cent in the last two years. Mr. Heathcote also exhibited what he caimed was a blacklist issued by the Pullman officials requesting other institutions to

Girls' union at Pullman testified in the afternoon. Her father had been in the employ of the Pullman company for fifteen years until shortly before his death last year. He was delinquent in his rent to the amount of \$60. The company compelled her to assume the debt and sign a contract to pay it out of her wages at the rate of 8. a week. Some weeks she had so little left from her wages that she could not pay board. In 1893 the company was paying its girls 22% cents an hour and the poorest seamstresses earned \$1.50 liefore the strike fue best of them had got down to 70 or 80 cents a day, while the poorer needle women could make only 40 to 50 cents.

Theodore Rhode, representing the painters' department, followed Miss Curtis. He has worked for the com-pany for twelve years and had been gradually cut down until be could not make \$1.25 a day. The foreman abused the men and the management experimented with the materials autil piece workers could make nothing. He had notapplied for work since the strike because the company compelled every man to surrender his eard of memb rship in the rallway union and sign an agreement to have nothing to do with any labor organization for

R. W. Coombes of the freight car and other extinct republics when they shops had been in the employ for ten years. Where men in that department were able to earn \$2.25 a day. every one issued, whatever the purpose might have been results in the make more than sixty-eight cents a day in March of this year. Between 1588 and 1891 there had been no re-The bonding of nations are came a cut that made a uniterest issue of demonstized currency are came a cut that made a uniterest inventions, but many nations are failed prey to this built it, and 80 of this fell on the car than witness said he had \$3.50 left from his February wages The creditors who are confiscating after he had paid his rent, and with the property of the nation cry "in- the \$3.50 he was expected to support the property of the nation cry "in-flation" when the oppressed debtor a wife and two children. After hear-asks for honest money with free coin-ing the evidence of Coombes the commission adjourned for the day.

CRASHED INFO A DINIR. Five Men Seriously Injured in a Wreck

on the .. ock !sland. TRENTON, Mo., Aug. 17 .- Passenger train No. 11 on the Rock Island, the fast west-bound express crashed into ready legislated in the interests of the dining car just before it reached the creditor class for bayond the the depot yesterday morning at 6:30, the dining car just before it reached bounds of safety, and should take making sad havon of the dining car warning lest the people, who are fast and seriously injuring five men. It becoming aroused as to the real cause was caused by the yardmaster forgetof the difficulty, may take matters ting to set the switch, leaving a cent into their own hand and elect both a main track Conductor W. T. Crawford was seriously injured internally; Anderson, cut on the wrist; Perry

Coulson, cut on side and head. War Among the Astora-New York, Aug. 16 .- It is current gossip both here and at Newport that Mrs. Astor's attempts to restore her daughter, Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton, to society were failures and that Mrs. Drayton has left America, never to return. It is said that the one who did the most to upset Mrs. Astor's plans was Mrs. John Jacob Astor, nee

Willing of Philadelphia. Rilled at a Her val Meeting. ment when the people themselves in-stead of a corrupt legislative body reached here of the killing of one man and fatally wounding of another at a revival meeting near Grant's Mill. The participants were the three Albright brothers and the three dues fatally woun ted.

Trouble at Pennsylvania Mines. Perrassure, Pa., Aug. 16 .- The Pittsburg and Chicago Gas Coal company has made application to Sheriff Richards for a force of deputies for duty at the Snowden mines where, it is claimed, the striking miners have been interfering with the new men bonded warehouses." imported by the company.

Large Corn Crop in Illinois. Moawequa, I L. Aug. 16,-Reports from Shelby, Christian and Monitrie counties say that the corn crop is now

Nominated for Congress. Vensantes, Mo., Aug. 17.—The Populist convention of this, the Eighth congressional district, met here yesterday and nominated W. C. Aldredge of Moniteau county for con-

will be the largest in several years.

Fatalty Injured by Lightning. SEDALIA, Mo., Aug. 17 .- John Hubbard, aged 30 years, while driving along one of the principal streets, was struck on the top of the head by a bolt of lightning and fataliy in-

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

Delegates representing Ohlo labor un ons met at Columbus and formed D. Grant Armstrong, dying at Covington, Ky., confessed to forging his

brother's name to notes aggregating George Fisher stabbed, probably fatally, Philip Wild of Spickards, Mo., passengers were injured.

C. F. Drake has sued the Chicago and Alton railway for \$30,000 damages for injuries received while acting as through any other paper. This is a fact.

Congressman James B. McCreary has written to the chairman of each cellaneous columns reach each working Democratic county committee in Ken- day in the week more than twice as tucky announcing his candidacy for

the Unite | States senate. Miss Mamie Elmore created a sen-

House Ways and Means Committee Proposes Tariff Changes.

It is at Work On Several Proposed Amendments.

refuse to employ the men whose names appeared thereon. Miss Jennie Curtia, president of the DIAMOND SCHEDULE.

The Obscure Reading in It to be Corrected.

Washington, Aug. 17 .- The ways and means committee met yesterday | Rewards Offered by the Chinese Governto consider several amendments to the tariff. One of these, to restore alcohol used in the arts to the dutiable list, was adopte I and subsequently passed by the house. Another was proposed by Representative Taraney making lead ore containing a preponderance of silver free of duty. This was voted down by a party vote, the Republicans present overcoming the five D moerats. Mr. Tarsney will t y again to-day when another meeting will be held.

Chairman Wilson will also propose an amendment to correct an obscurity of the general tariff bill on diamonds in the free list. It was intended to make glazier and other diamonds free but the panetaction of the item is so defective that the treasury officials think it may admit all diamonds free, and fear if duty were assessed importers would promptly appeal to the courts. Mr. Wilson is confilent that the senate and the house will make the correction.

FEW MEMBERS PRESENT

House Discusses the Report on the Deficiency Bill and Again Refers It.

Washington, Aug. 17.-There was a mere handful of members present yest rday when the speaker called the house to order. The deficiency appropriation bill was taken up for further consideration. Mr. Savers' motion to insist on disagreement on the Southern Pacific claim am nl-ment was adopted. Ununimous consent was asked that the senate substitute bill for the exclusion and deportation of alien anarchists which had just be a received from the sen-ate, should be taken up for consideration. Objection was made by Messrs, Tracey and Warner of New York and considerable disturbance was cause i. The bill was withdrawn and referred to the jud clary committee.

The conference report on the general deficiency bill reported to the house by Mr. Sayers announced an an agreement on the Southern Pacific amendment, the senate conferrees having receiled. The bill to repeal the free alcohol clause in the tariff bill was passed. At 4:45 p. m the house adjourned until next Monday.

CONGRATULATING HAWAIL

House Committee on Foreign Affairs Will Report a Joint Resolution. Washington, Aug. 17.-After a spir-

ited session of the house committee on foreign affairs a congratulatory joint resolution from the United States to the republic of Hawaii was adopted, and it will be presented to the house for adoption at the earliest opportunity. The resolution is as follows:

Resolved. That the senate and house of representatives of the United States of Ancies do con ratulate the republic of Hawai on penestia a semution of the powers duties and responsibilities of self overnment as indicated by the result adoption of a Republican form of sovernment.

Important Provision in the Tariff Bill, WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 .- An important provision of the new tariff bill is the great strike, and others are being Partiue brothers. One of the Al- th twuich allows the manufacture brights was killed and one of the Par- for exportation of any article or class th t which allows the manufacture of goods in a bonded warehouse from imported materials. Under the Mc-Kinley bill only "medic ne, preparations, compositions, perfumery, cos-metics, cordials and other liquors can be so manufactured." Under the pending bil are no limitations to the number of this character of merchandisa which may be manufactured in

Relieving Congressmen of a Burden. Washington, Aug. 17 .- Rapresentative Builey of Texas desires to rid e ingressmen of all complicity in office sicking. Yesterday he intropractically made. The recent rams duced the following bill: That from were all that was needed. The yield and after the passage of this act no senitor or representative in congress shall directly or indirectly solight or recommend the appointment of any person to any office under the United States; provided that this act shall not be construed to apply to the offices of the house or the senate.

Pension for Ex-Governor Martin's Widow. Washington, Ang. 17 .- The senate passed the bill introduced by Senator Peffer to grant a pension to Mrs. Ila C. Martin, the widow of ex-Governor John A. Martin of Kansas. The bill authorizes the secretary of the interior to p are her name on the pension roll, to draw a pension at the rate of \$50 per month.

Wreck on the Atlantic and Pacific. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Aug. 17 .- No. 3 passenger train going west on the Atlantic and Pacific was wrecked by washout at Cubero at 3 a. m. yesterday. The engine was ditched. James | yew wid the paiper. - Judy. Horton, fireman, was killed and William Norris, engineer, was danger-ously injured. So far as known no

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RUNNING ON FULL TIME.

Distilling Plants All Over the Country

Unusually Active. WASHINGTON, Aug. 17. -Telegrams received at the internal revenue bureau show very unusual activity among owners of whisky in bond, and large quantities are being withdrawn

at all of the distillery centers. In addition to the withdrawals, distilleries are now running their plants to their full capacity with a view of getting the benefits of the new rates. One firm in Cincinnati yesterday inereased its output of mash of grain from 800 to 1,800. As spirits are now distilled, only one week is needed to effect the change from rye and corn to spirits, and it is expected that many thousands of barrels will have been distilled and the tax paid before the new bill becomes a law.

ORIENTAL WELFARE.

ment for Japanese Heads.

New York, Aug. 17 .- A dispatch from Shanghai, via London, says: The governor of Formosa has published a schedule of rewards for Chinese who capture or destroy Japanese ships or kill or capture Japanese soldiers or sailors. The soldiers or sailors may be taken dead or alive. The governor offers 6,000 taels for the destruction of a big Japinese war-ship. For the destruction or capture of a small warship he promises 4,000 taels, or about £1,200. Two hundred taels will be paid for the head of a Japanese officer and 101 taels for the head of a Japanese private.

BETTER SEND A DRAY

Labor Commissioner Todd has just issued a prospectus of his annual report, which is a remarkable document.

This prospectus contains 725 pages, weighs two pounds and a half, and costs 20 cents a volume to send it through the mails. This book is, according to Mr. Todi, simply "extracts from the ninth unnual report of the bureau of labor and Industry of Kansaa."

Mr. Todd's full report is still in the hands of the printer, and when com-pleted will contain over eleven hundred pages. Persons wanting copies of the report will be expected to send an express wagon to the state house after them, as it will bankrupt the state to send the documents out through the

Two thousand copies of the "Extracts" have been printed, and the state printing committee has agreed to order 1,500 copies of the full report.

THEY EXPRESS SYMPATHY The Topska Suffragiate Sympathize With Sucan B. Anthony.

The equal suffragists held a meeting yesterday afteracon. The secretary read from the STATE JOURNAL the account of the defeat of the sub-mission of woman suffrage in the constitutional convention of New York. The sunouncement was greeted with excla-mations such as "oh, my," "that's too bad." A motion was made to write a letter of

sympathy to Miss Susan B. Anthony and the secretary was given instructions accordingly. Arrangemen's were made to hold parfor meetings as the homes of the various members. The first will be held at the

residence of Mrs. E. C. Fitch at 521 Tyler street next Friday afternoon. A committee was appointed to arrange for holding out door meetings composed of Mrs. Bessie Hayes, Gracia Petts and Lucia O. Case. Two new members were admitted Mrs.

Elizabeth Hayes and Mary Hull. EMPLOYES BEING DROPPED

Union Pacific Has Discharged Over Two Thousand Men Since the Strike.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 17.-Over 2,000 men have been formally discharged from the Union Pacific as a result of replaced daily. Two hundred an I fifty engineers and firemen are included in the list. Some of the engineers and fir men, particularly on the west end, were with the company for twenty years and upward.

Heavy Internal Revenue Receipts. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 17 .- Yesterday was a record breaken at Collector Johnson's office, on whisky taken out of bond. Over \$500,000 in taxes were paid on Kentucky's product. These are believed to be the largest recelpts in one day at any office on

Smith Wants to Fight Corbett. DENVER, Aug. 17 .- Ed. Smith has sent instructions to J. J. Quinn, his backer, to try to arrange a match with either Corbett or Jackson. Smith expresses a willingness to put up \$10,000 on the match as a side bet

Plenty of Time.



First Coster-Well, if yew won't back fer I, I won't back fer yew. D'yew see that?

Second Coster-Orl rite, 'Arry, orl rite. Don't 'urry yerself. Only arter

Ellison Rominsted for Congress. St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 17 .- The Democratic congressional convention at Maryville yesterday nominated Wil-liam Ellison of Nodaway county.

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HE KNEW.

But Motives of Delicacy Prevented Him From Telling.

The minister had just returned from a trip abroad, and that Sunday afternoon he was telling the children of the Sunday school about it.

Now, dear children," he said, "the ship that I went across the ocean on was a great ship. It was much larger than the boats you have seen here in the harbor. If I were to tell you just how large it was, you would all be surprised, but when you grow older you will learn all about those things, and there is no need of my taking up this valuable time with such a descrip tion when there are things much more interesting to talk about.

"But, as I was saying, it was a great ship. And on our way back there arose a tremendous storm. Large as the ship was, it was tossed about like an eggshell by the mighty waves of the sea. It rose and fell and pitched and tossed, and there were many on the ship who thought that it would sink. The storm gathered in fury. The waves grew higher and bigher, and finally the captain and the officers of the ship grew anxious. They talked in low voices among themselves, and soon the passengers learned that they were afraid that the storm would overcome the ship and that we would all go to the bottom of the

"I thought that I would never see my dear children again. I remembered the Sunday school and all the friends in my congregation, and the events of my past life came vividly before me. Then I went to my stateroom. The waves were still higher, and the ship was being tossed about at a fearful rate. 1 knelt down in my stateroom, and I- But, dear children, who can tell me what I did?"

The children were intensely interested in the regital, and for a moment no one answered. Then a little fellow who sat on the front seat raised his hand and said, "Please, sir, I know."
"Well, said the minister, "what did I

do while I was kneeling there in my state-"I know," continued the little fellow, "for I did it when we went to Crystal Beach, but it wouldn't be polite to tell

here."-Buffalo Express. Rather a Surpriso.



Mr. Jones always carries a key ring



Result when the door was suddenly opened from the inside.-New York Her-

Soaked Up. M. Calino is fund of instructing bis young son in natural history and never fails to give a prompt answer to any question that be may ask. One day Caline juntor asked Calino senior where the water which was in the brooks went to.

'Into the rivers," said monsieur. "And where does the water in the rivers 'Into the sea."

"And where does the water in the ses "It is absorbed by the sponges at the bottom," answered M. Calino.-Youth's Companion.

Trouble, Indeed. "Have you seen Ethel?" said one sum-

mer resort girl. Yes," replied the other. "She is dreadfully worried." ·Why?"

"Harold Skiffins is coming from the city to see her tonight, and she has forgetten which engagement ring is his."-Washington Star.

Above Outside Influences. "I explicitly said you should rub your loins and the region of your stomach with this brandy, and here you've gone and

drunk it. "Very true, doctor, but I never was a man much given to externals, and I'm too old to begin now."-Fliegende Blat-

Recognized.

"Do you recognize the profesh?" said the scedy actor as he presented his card at the box office window for a pass. We generally do," said the theatrical manager _ he slowly inspected his caller and shoved the card back. but the secret is safe with us."-Chicago Record.

Large Eggs. "I'm doing first rate with my hens

now. "Glad to hear it." "Yes, indeed. You ought to see some of the eggs they lay. Many of them are as big as hallstones."—New York Sun.

A Long Way Off.

Bradford-Higbee makes money go as far as any man I know. Robbins-How does he do it? Bradford-Gives it to foreign missions.

The Proverb In China. "It isn't the coat that makes the man,"

-Harlem Lafe.

said the Chinese philosopher.
"No," replied Li Hung Chang sadly.
"It's the yellow jacket."—Washington

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as interesting as news items. See if it is not so.